

## **CITY OF ROANOKE**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

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The Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council Roanoke, Virginia

Subject: Request for closed meeting

Dear Mayor Harris and Council Members:

This is to request that City Council convene a closed meeting to discuss the acquisition of real property for a public purpose, where discussion in open meeting would adversely affect the bargaining position or negotiating strategy of the City, pursuant to §2.2-3711.A.3, of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended.

Sincerely,

Darlene L. Burcham

City Manager

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c: William M. Hackworth, City Attorney Jesse A. Hall, Director of Finance Mary F. Parker, City Clerk